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POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORTS BUSY MONTH

Council Hears Burgess Risbeck's Statement of Arrests Made

SOME SERVE OUT TIME

Collections Good Nevertheless—Parade Request is Duly Acknowledged

One circus day and an otherwise comparatively active month gave the police department plenty to do during May. Burgess George W. Risbeck made his report for the arrests and fines assessed at the regular monthly meeting of council Tuesday evening. His report showed that 81 arrests were made. Fines were assessed to the total amount of \$109.62. Apparently many of the police station visitors were hard pushed for money for they had to serve out \$26 worth of their time. The actual cash collected amounted to \$73.05.

Besides Burgess Risbeck's report the report of the treasurer was read and several bills ordered paid. Treasurer T. R. Eggle's report for the month ending May 16, is summarized as follows:

Balance from last report \$2,095.62

Receipts 3,649.13

Total 83,744.75

Disbursements 4,155.25

Balance in treasury \$1,589.50

A request was presented to council to participate as a body in the men's parade to take place on Friday evening, June 21 as a feature of the Washington County Sunday School association, and to grant permission to the police to lead the procession. Council granted the latter request and expressed their thanks for the invitation to participate themselves.

Borough Engineer Alex Gray and the street committee were instructed to investigate the matter of opening up an alley from Eighth street to back of the Crest avenue school, and also to take up the matter of fixing the grade of Crest avenue near Twelfth street.

Upon request C. R. Newcomer was granted permission to prepare a crossing to his automobile garage at the corner of Fifth street and Crest avenue.

SHOWER GIVEN IN HONOR OF BRIDE

The Young Ladies Circle of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church Tuesday evening gave a shower to Mrs. John Roberts, of North Charleroi, who was formerly Miss Reba Nutt. There were between 20 and 30 young women present and a pleasant evening was spent. Miss Nutt's marriage to Mr. Robertson occurred it is said, the first part of this year, but it is stated news of the wedding was kept secret until a few days ago.

Y. P. C. T. U. Meeting.

An important meeting of the Young People's Christian Temperance Union will be held Thursday. All members are especially requested to be present.

Gets News of Drowning

Father of Mrs. Joseph Hurst of Charleroi Goes to Watery Grave in Fox River

News was received by Mrs. Joseph Hurst of Fallsfield avenue, Tuesday of the drowning of her father, E. E. Aten, at Dundee, Ill., a day or so ago. Full particulars of the drowning were not learned, but it is understood that Mr. Aten was standing on a foot bridge when he lost his balance and fell into the Fox river. Before help could reach him he was dead.

The funeral will be held at Wilkes barre, Mr. Aten's former home the body having been shipped to that place Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Hurst left for Wilkesbarre Tuesday night. Besides the widow, one daughter, Mrs. Hurst and one son, Alfred Aten of Milwaukee, survived.

MURDERER FORGIVES DAUGHTER

Jan Ribaik Responds to Prayer and Singing of Hymn

STOISM BROKEN DOWN

A fervent prayer for the salvation of his son and the singing of "Nearer, My God to Thee," converted Jan Ribaik, the stolid, stubborn inmate of the Washington county jail who, if nothing intervenes, will go to the gallows next Tuesday, to pay the penalty for the murder of three persons at Canonsburg, a few months ago.

The 26-year-old daughter, "the cause of it all," as Ribaik alleged at the time he was tried for his life, created the most unusual and spectacular scene ever witnessed in the Washington county jail Tuesday afternoon when she called at the prison and requested an audience with the condemned man. The man and his daughter are now reconciled and when Ribaik goes to his death next Tuesday he will not hold any enmity against the girl.

Ribaik, who was convicted of killing Mr. and Mrs. Mike Novak and their boarder, Stephen Stanjov, at their home, when he blamed them for harboring his daughter, had forbidden a visit from the pretty girl, and declared that he would "kill her" should she visit him in the cell.

The girl, prompted by a desire to see her father before he went upon the gallows, took courage yesterday afternoon and went alone to the jail where her father is spending his last days on earth.

The guards would not allow the

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J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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WATER COMPANY DEAL CAUSES A BIG STIR

Announcement of Change of Supply System Including Monessen and Donora Occasions Some Surprise

The announcement made unofficially Tuesday that the Charleroi Water company has secured control of the Monessen Water company's rights in Monessen borough and was preparing to lay lines across the river to supply Monessen from the Charleroi plant, caused considerable of a stir. It was claimed that the plan was to give Monessen the benefits of an up-to-date filtration plant like Charleroi owns, and incidentally through the same means to supply Donora.

It seems from later information believed to be authentic that the Pittsburgh Steel company has purchased certain of the holdings of the Monessen Water company, and that in furnishing water to the borough the water company would have more or less difficulty. It is claimed by Monessen people that they have been

joying the privileges of filtered water that has been better than that furnished Charleroi. Donora secured filtered water, they assert, through a pipe laid between Monessen and Donora.

With the Pittsburgh Steel company owing some of the real estate of the Monessen Water company, it is said, it was necessary for a different arrangement for the supply of water to be made.

The idea of pumping water across the Monongahela river will be a new one for this part of the Monongahela valley. When it is put in effect, it will mean that Donora, between 4 and 6 miles away and Monessen a mile away, will be furnished with water flowing from the Charleroi reservoir at the crest of Fifth street.

BELIEVE GOVERNMENT WILL LOSE NO TIME

Expected by Those in Close Touch With Situation That Public Building Will be Gotten Under Way This Summer

Not many weeks will elapse according to the belief of certain of those in the closest touch with the situation, before actual work will be started on the Charleroi Federal building. Bearing out their statements, this week there was named an appropriation of \$10,000 in the dry civil bill as reported to the House of Representatives for Charleroi. This sundry civil bill is in reality a budget of estimated expense for the next fiscal year, so that it indicates by that time the money will be on hand to pay for the final work on the building.

Books were to be opened at the Treasury Department at Washington, D. C., on May 31. It is supposed they were opened according to schedule. Even so, it will probably be at least thirty days from that time before the public will know anything about it. However, providing there is not a rush of work for the treasury department, the contract may be awarded at once and work started soon after.

Some time ago an appropriation of \$20,000 was made for the Charleroi Public building. There had been previous appropriations made. From that fact it would seem that the money would be available any time the treasury department should get ready to start work.

DISTRICT CABINET DISCUSSES PARADE

Sunday School Workers Work Hard Preparing For County Convention

Parade, program, decoration, and various other matters of preparation for the Washington County Sunday school convention to be held in Charleroi June 20 and 21 were discussed by the Charleroi district executive cabinet at its weekly meeting held at the Christ Lutheran church on Tuesday evening. Capt. John K. Hein, chief marshal for the parade, stated that he had asked that the police head the procession, and that council participate in the parade. Upon motion it was decided that the school board be asked to participate and be given a place of honor in the parade.

President W. S. James of the cabinet reported that he had made arrangements for an electrical sign to be put up bearing the words "Welcome" and also for an electrical sign with a white center and red background, designating the Adult Bible Class button. In addition the big convention tent will be lighted by electricity. George Leith, superintendent of the West Penn Electric company has promised to look after the electrical display as a part of his and his company's donation.

The program for the convention has practically been completed by the county committee which is looking after that matter. A good array of speaking has been listed.

FOR SALE.

Eleven roomed frame house on property of Charleroi School District, Crest avenue and Sixth street. To be removed by purchaser. Bids to be in hands of secretary not later than June 11. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. M. Hill, Secretary
260-15

MT. VESUVIUS THE BACKGROUND

Dante's Inferno Given on Large Scale to be Presented in Picture

Advance agents are in town today billing "Dante's Inferno," which will be exhibited at the Coyle Theatre three days next week—Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

It is a wonderful vision of the after life for wicked souls of Dante's "Inferno," the most stupendous offering ever produced in photoplay.

The special music, the artistic effects, the wonderful personality of the principals in the cast, all go towards gripping the minds and hearts of the audience. The scenes are laid with Mt. Vesuvius in Italy, while the crater is belching forth hot molten lava. The torments of the condemned, of the avaricious and greedy, of unbelievers, gives one cause to heed to the call of conscience.

Nothing quite like it has ever come to Charleroi.

This great production will be exhibited at the Coyle for the first time for a ten-cent admission.

Big Shipment of Springs.

Tuesday morning 8,000 pounds of springs were shipped from the Liggett Spring and Axle works across the river from Monongahela to the Chalmers-Detroit Automobile company in that city. The shipment was made by express.

Saturday June 8, a great 3 reel feature, "The Four Dare Devils," the greatest circus drama ever made. Watch for these. Admission just 5c. 253-15

MAGIC CITY TO PUT ITS OWN SCHEMES INTO USE

Charter is Applied For

Curb Market to be Properly Instituted Third Week in June

Charleroi Co-Operative Association Asks For County Incorporation

A petition for the incorporation of what is to be known as the "Charleroi Co-Operative Association of Charleroi, Pa." has been filed at Washington. The purpose of the corporation is to hold property, real and personal, of and for an unincorporated beneficial society, and executing trusts thereof. The organization is composed of Frenchmen residing in Charleroi and the subscribers are as follows: Amand Collignon, Jules Denamur, Octave Delfosse, Jules Deniau, Leon Pierrot, Gasper Bouys, Hubert Clement, Eugene Pilette, Ferdinand Falise. These men also constitute the board of directors.

STRAUSSER CASE NOW AT CLOSE

Charleroi Agent Loses Suit Against Prudential

ANOTHER CASE NOW ON

Upon binding instructions from the court the jury in court at Washington Tuesday afternoon found for the defendant in the suit of Edward Strausser, of Charleroi, a former agent for the Prudential Insurance company, against the Prudential Insurance company. The defendant claimed about \$3,000 for commissions alleged due for insurance written as agent for the defendant company. The defense set forth that the plaintiff's claim as to the per cent of commissions he was to receive was exorbitant and illegal. The suit hinged on the interpretation of a clause of the agent's contract, which the court construed did not give him the per cent for insurance written that he, the plaintiff, claimed.

On trial at Washington, is the suit of Edward Strausser against S. E. Long the local superintendent of the claim for damages for false arrest. It is another litigation growing out of the differences between Strausser and the insurance company. Alleging that Strausser had appropriated about \$127 belonging to the insurance company he was arrested, charged with embezzlement, held for court indicted, but the jury acquitted him and put the costs on the private prosecutor, Mr. Long. In retaliation for this action against him Mr. Strausser brought a civil action against Mr. Long for damages.

Good Game at Monessen Saturday

The Page A. A. baseball team has secured the Sterling A. C. of Pittsburgh for a game Saturday afternoon.



June Weddings

Perhaps we can help you solve the troublesome gift problem. We shall be glad to show you a carefully selected assortment of suitable gifts for the happy pair. Useful and pretty things in cut glass, silver-ware, ornamental pieces of all sorts.

As to prices. We will simply say that in buying our stock, we have kept in mind two requisites. First, high quality and tasteful designs, second, the lowest consistent prices.

John B. Schafer

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TELEPHONES

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ADVERTISING RATES

DISPLAY—Fifteen cents per inch,
first insertion. Rates for large space
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READING NOTICES—Such as
business locals, notices of meetings,
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sertion.

LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Might.....Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpnack....Lock No. 4
T. Hixenbaugh....Belle Vernon
T. Hixenbaugh.....Speers

June 5 In American History.

1851—The first chapter of "Uncle
Tom's Cabin," Harriet Beecher
Stowe's anti-slavery novel, appear-
ed in the National Era at Washing-
ton.

1862—Oil City and Titusville, Pa., dev-
astated by a fire created with burn-
ing oil, 300 lives being lost.

1867—Rear Admiral Samuel P. Lee, U.
S. N., retired, last of the civil war
commanders of great squadrons,
died; born 1812.

1910—William Sydney Porter (O. Hen-
ry, story writer) died; born 1867.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 7:27, rises 4:29. Evening
Stars: Mars, Jupiter. Morning stars:
Venus, Mercury, Saturn.

PAYING THE PRICE.

The storm of protest that the rap-
idly increasing price of meat is
arousing, has prompted one of the in-
vestigators in the causes of the high
cost of living to remark that the most
of the increased cost of living is
simply a matter of cause and effect,
when it comes to the production of
the commodities themselves. Former-
when most families produced a
large part of what they consumed in
a garden, or by means of chickens,
cows and pigs, or by gathering the
bounties of nature which no longer ex-
ist, the cost of living was not so much
of a problem. Now, when the great
mass of people no longer produce,
and have to pay everything they con-
sume, the cost is becoming excessive.

Take beef, for example. Beef on
the hoof does not cost so much more
than it formerly did. But we do not
produce it in the east any more to
any appreciable extent, because there
is no range and grazing for cattle on
the paved streets of the cities or
towns, or on the commons of the sub-
urban property that is being held for
town lots promotion schemes. There-
fore beef is raised in the west, killed
there, put in cold storage and trans-
ported to the east. We do not
need. We not only
kill, but
the cold storage, the
transportation and the profits of
those who handle the beef all along
the line. It is the same way with
eggs. If we no longer raise eggs for
the table we must buy them from
those who do produce them, and pay
them for their time and trouble
which we did not count as an expense
when we produced eggs ourselves.

It is also the same way with the gar-
den truck we buy at the grocery. We
pay for the stuff, and the time and
trouble of the man who raised it, and
the profits of the commission mer-

chant and the grocer who sells it.

These are some of the increased
items of expense which have made
the cost of living a serious problem.
What we do not do ourselves we have
to pay for. So long as we have to
buy everything we consume we must
pay the price, and this price is con-
stantly increasing as the extravag-
ance of the people and craze for lux-
uries increase.

OHIO IN LINE.

Over in the neighboring state of
Ohio a constitutional convention has
just been completed. A new consti-
tution for the state has been framed
up, which must be approved by the
voters before it becomes the funda-
mental law of that commonwealth. A
number of radical changes have
been made, but perhaps the most signif-
icant of all is a provision for a bond
issue of \$50,000,000 for a system of
improved roads throughout the state.

There is no doubt but what Ohio
got its tip from Pennsylvania, where
Governor Tener's policy of State
road improvements involves an ex-
penditure of \$50,000,000, the fund
for which are to be supplied by a
proposed bond issue. To effect this
requires a constitutional amendment,
but Ohio is taking time by the fore-
lock and incorporating the right to
provide the funds for state wide road
improvements in the fundamental
law. This is a wise provision, and
will put Ohio in line with Pennsyl-
vania in the matter of good roads.
Governor Tener's project of state
wide road improvements has attracted
attention in all the states of the
union, and the fact that Ohio has
copied his plan demonstrates its pop-
ularity and practicability.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

It sometimes happens that trea-
surers are easier made than kept.

Charleroi is great on furnishing
good ideas. Nearly all the towns
hereabouts seem to be getting their
curb market in operation.

In New York a serious waiters'
strike is threatened. Such a strike
might serve as an advertising scheme
for the back to the land movement.

If that proposed water supply
scheme is put into effect, Monessen
will in reality have to take it from
us.

It is just like some automobile-
ists to complain about the excessive use
of rubbers by the common people on
the strength of the argument that
it forces up the price of tires.

As an indication that Roosevelt
and his big stick force are expected
to participate vigorously in the Chi-
cago proceedings, it is stated that
twenty physicians, surgeons and
nurses have been engaged "just to
be ready for emergencies."

The varieties of Republicans for
number rivals that of the Heinz 57.

A Chicago man has had his name
changed because people made fun of it.
Which isn't the usual reason
given by most women when they have
their names changed.

We could stand flies if they didn't
insist upon using our food for door-
mats.

Editing a newspaper is considered
a profession. It may be, but most
of those who have had experience
would be willing to take an oath—
or three if necessary—that it's a job.

Political Races

How often when the racing news
We in the papers scan,
We see the line that we can't lose,
"La Follette also ran."

Johnstown Leader

PICKED UP IN PASSING

The following clipping from the
Philadelphia Press has been handed
the Mail for publication, as an argu-
ment why the tax on oleomargarine
and substitutes for butter should be
removed:

"To the Editor of the Press—can
any reader of the Press give a good
reason why the grocer already pay-
ing a city and county license must
pay an additional yearly license of
\$100 for the privilege of selling but-
terine? It can't be that the State
needs the money. It must be for the
sole purpose of lining the pockets of
the special interest—the butter mon-
opoly."

"Several evenings ago I met a man
with his dinner pail on his way home
from work. I said to him, 'Why
John, you are late this evening, you
must have worked overtime.' The
man replied,

"'No, I didn't work overtime; I
went down to Brown's to get a pound
of butterine. It's over a mile down
there. Quite a tiresome walk after a
hard day's work, that's the reason I
am late. You see my grocer don't
sell butterine because he can't afford
to pay the \$100 license, so Brown's is
the only place I can get butterine. I
have a sick wife and four children to
support and I get only \$1.10 a day, five
days a week. I can't possibly buy
butter at 40 cents and be honest. So
down to Brown's and buy butterine,
which I can buy for 25 cents and save
15 cents, which buys me a soup-
bone, but the butcher said he must
charge 20 cents now for soup-bones
because meat had advanced.'

"'We can eat meat only once and
occasionally twice a week. We dare
not spread our bread every meal.
It's awful hard to be honest these
days.'

"Never having seen butterine, I felt
curious to know what it was like, so
I asked my friend if he objected to
me seeing it. He invited me not only
to look at it but to taste it. Going
into a nearby store he removed the
cover and handed me the pail in
which was the object I wished to
see. I found an oblong block weighing
16 1-2 ounces, neatly wrapped in
white parchment paper resembling a
print of pale creamy butter, with
pleasant, appetizing aroma and in
taste far better than butter I have
frequently eaten."

"In his pail was also a slice of hard
dry bread left over from dinner—and
why dry? Because the poor fellow
could not afford to pay the price asked
for butter and be honest and through
the machination of special
privileges prohibitive license on the
sale of butterine. Think of it, a tax
of \$106—\$100 for license and \$6 for
red tape for permission to sell a
necessary commodity to those who
can't afford to pay extortion prices
for butter and be honest."

Justice.
Philadelphia, May 31, 1912.

"Trying to make sport at the ex-
pense of a small boy is a rather
risky operation," said a traveling
man who was a Charleroi visitor re-
cently. "Early in my career I learned
my lesson, and it was a wholesome
one for me. I happened to be in
Harrisburg once when a State political
convention was in progress. There I met
many old-time friends, who had assem-
bled for the convention. Standing in front
of the prominent hotels talking to a group
of friends, we were annoyed by a
small newsboy, who persistently tried
to sell us papers. On our refusal to
buy the boy would walk away, and
then return after a few moments and
again try to persuade us to buy. Finally
after the newsie had singled me out with
his query of 'Poipier?' I said:

"No! I have no use for a paper;
I can't read."

"Sizing me up critically, the newsie
replied:

"I believe ye. You kind 'o' look
like a dam fool anyhow."

Real Blue Blood.

An Irish contractor had the misfor-
tune to run his car over an old man
who had a bottle of bluing inside his
coat. Jumping from his car and seeing
the fluid rapidly staining the old
fellow's breast, he cried to his friend:
"Finnegan, it'll go harrrd wid us!
We've killed wan o' them blue-blooded
Yankees!"—Judge.

Rash Answer.

A student at a medical college was
under examination. The instructor
asked him: "Of what cause, specifically,
did the people die who lost their
lives at the destruction of Hercu-
leum and Pompeii?" "I think they
died of an eruption, sir," answered
the student.

Greatness No Escape.

In classical history we find that
even Socrates, that most dignified
sage, did not escape, for he was nick-
named "Flat Nose," while Plato, more
fortunate, received a flattering nick-
name, for he is called the "Attic Bee,"
a graceful tribute to his literary style.

Hence the Tears.

A German lass stood at a steam-
ship pier, weeping. "Why do you
grieve, Fraulein?" "Because my lover
has sailed, and I fear that before he
returns someone else may propose to
me and I may accept."—Satire.

Deceitful Man.

Dolly—"She married a very old man,
didn't she? I understand he had one
foot in the grave." Polly—"That's
what she thought, too; but he still
continues to buy his shoes by the
pair!"—Puck.

SEEMED A FOOLISH QUESTION

Berriedell Bidegroom Resented Inquiry That at the Moment Seemed to Him Ill-Timed.

MANY REMARKABLE RESULTS OBTAINED

GREAT GOOD BEING DONE BY APPLICATION OF MODERN IDEAS.

Intense Interest Is Aroused
Wherever New Treatment
Has Been Offered to
the Public.

There are many thousands of debilitated, nervous men and women in this
country who will rend this item with
much interest. Not many years has
a new product created such much
excitement as that now going on over the
remarkable success of a modern tri-
umph of pharmacy now obtainable gen-
erally of druggists, and known to the
trade as Wade's Golden Nervine.

Men and women in all walks of life
are enthusiastic in their praises of
the new treatment. A few of their
statements are here quoted: "I am
thankful your treatment was brought
to my notice," says Rev. Robt. Barnes,
of 1133 N. West St., Indianapolis, Ind.
After suffering for years from Nervous
Dissibility, your treatment certainly
brought me out after others had failed.
I make this statement to show my ap-
prehension, and with the hope that oth-
ers may profit by it."

"He knew that the license cost but
one, but no one else knew it. He got
the license, and then he filed himself
as full of budge as possible with \$4
and an hour a half. When he walked
up the church aisle he was burbling—
but long training kept him from
betraying his condition. His bride-to-be
got a sniff of what had happened to
her \$4, but it was too late to mend
then. Our poor poet got along all
right until the minister asked him very
solemnly: 'Do you take this woman
to be your wedded wife?'

"Whereupon he looked at the preacher
in amazement. 'Quit your joking,
old top,' said he, in a loud, round tone.
'That's what I'm here for. I'm the or-
iginal taking kid!'

Largest Bird of Prey.

The world's largest bird of prey
is the bearded vulture. From tip to
tip of wing it measures nine or ten
feet.

Not a Hopeless Case.

There is always a chance that the
man who knows he doesn't know may
find out.

Yes, Indeed.

It makes a whole lot of difference
whether we say an opera singer's
voice is heavenly or unearthly.

Money to Loan \$10 Upward

on furniture, pianos, organs, etc.
Everything left in your possession.
Loan repaid in small weekly or
monthly payments. Low rates and
easy terms guaranteed. We make
loans anywhere within 20 miles of
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It will pay you to place a classi-
fied advertisement, in these col-
umns because The Mail is read
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to reach.

A For Rent, For Sale, Lost and Found,
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umns will be read by practically every-
body in Charleroi.

Rates—Five cents a line for each insertion.

ZEMO FOR DANDRUFF



Nifty Sun Shades For Particular People

We have a Parasol for every woman and child in Charleroi and vicinity--the most complete selection we have ever had. Come in and see them. A parasol to match every gown. Made of best linens, poplins, messalines and satins.

CHILDREN'S PARASOLS, 19c, 25c and up to \$1.50
WOMEN'S PARASOLS, \$1.00, \$1.50 and up to \$5

A PARASOL FOR EVERYBODY

BERRYMAN'S

LOCAL MENTION

J. M. Whitlatch and D. C. Whitlatch left today for Parkersburg, W. Va., to attend the funeral of the former's sister, Mrs. W. F. McGee.

Mrs. J. L. Reeves and Mrs. R. D. Blaker went to Carmichaels today to visit the former's daughter Mrs. William Vance and to attend the funeral of Thomas Wiley who died Monday.

Misses Bernice and Ruth Hawkins and Harry Hawkins went to Fredericktown this morning to visit at the home of relatives.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steele, a daughter.

Mrs. G. W. Might and Miss Jean Aurenche are spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Lee Showers went to Ford City today on a business trip.

Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Bastian, and

children left this morning for Williamsport to attend the wedding of Mrs. Bastian's niece which is to occur Thursday.

Largest Dials.

The art of the clock-maker has achieved many remarkable triumphs. Sometimes it is in a clock wonderful for the complexity of its movements and its busy population of automaten that attracts our admiration, like that in the cathedral of Strassburg; at other times the immense size of the machinery and the dials excites astonishment. This is the case with the celebrated clock in the tower of the Church of St. Rombaut at Mechlin. This clock is believed to possess the largest dials that exist in the world. There are four of them, one on each side of the great square tower, and their extreme diameter is nearly thirty-seven and one-half feet.

The figures showing the hours are nearly six and one-half feet high, and the hands have a length of nearly 12 feet.—Harper's Weekly

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sphar entertained a large crowd of young folks at a party at their home on Wednesday evening of last week and all report having a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Murphy and baby Martha Jane of Pike Run spent Sunday at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harpison and also at the home of her sister, Mrs. Samuel Hopewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pitzer near Garwood spent Sunday at the home of their son, Curt Pitzer.

Luther Pitzer, near Garwood, was a guest of Clay Williams Sunday. Misses Mary Sphar and Bonnie Lewis were guests at the home of Frank Hopewell Sunday.

Mrs. William Sphar near Charleroi is ill.

Mrs. Harriett Tombaugh and son Alonzo, who went to Kansas to make their home with another son have returned to this place. Mrs. Tombaugh arrived home ill and is staying at the home of I. E. Morris. Being an aged lady her condition is serious.

Larry Gassitt and family of Fredericktown, spent a few days last week at the home of Mrs. Gassitt's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hopewell.

Mrs. Zilpha Fisk of Ohio, is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Mary Gardner of Ringersburg was a recent guest of friends near here.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Morris near Garwood were Sunday visitors at the home of I. E. Morris.

Miss Myrtle McCracken is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Playford Wright of Pike Run.

The Grangers will hold a festival on the flat near Pitzer's store on June 14 and 15.

Curt McCracken was so unfortunate as to have his horse stolen Saturday night. The horse was taken to A. C. Sphar's livery barn of Charleroi where Mr. McCracken found it Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Dentler of Charleroi were guests at the home of the latter's brother, Van Robison Sunday.

Miss Stella Robison and brother Roy were business callers in Washington last week.

Oscar Carson of Charleroi spent Sunday at the home of his father, John A. Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs and family near Curtin school house, were guests at the home of Charles Coulter Sunday.

An Eye to Economy.

"Now, remember, Ike, that you a good glass eye you've got. Always take it out and put it in your pocket when you ain't looking at nodding."

Error in Conditions Somewhere.

There is something wrong if a man is expected to meditate on eternity when he has no assurance of being able to meet his butcher's bill.

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PRESBYTERIANS MAINTAIN THEIR WINNING STREAK

Church League Leaders Beat Methodists in Good Five Inning Struggle

The First Presbyterians continued their winning streak Tuesday night by defeating the Methodists. Five innings told the tale, by this time the Firsts having scored four runs to three of the Methodists. The Firsts got theirs in the second, third and fourth, the first being tallied by a base on balls and two singles. Two in the third were recorded through the instrumentality of three hits, a sacrifice and a stolen base. A base on balls, fielder's choice and a single meant the last score in the fourth. The M. E.'s got their first tally in the second with two singles and a stolen base. In the third they secured three hits and tallied once. The last score came in the fifth in two singles and a fielder's choice. Score:

First Pres	R	H	P	A	E
Wagner, 1	0	1	3	0	0
Oller, c	1	1	6	0	0
Jenkins, s	0	1	1	0	0
Wilson, 3	1	0	2	0	1
Collins, r	0	0	1	0	0
Schmidt, m	0	1	0	1	0
Allshouse, 1	0	2	0	0	0
Smith, 2	1	0	2	1	0
Osborne, p	1	1	0	1	1
Total	3	7	15	3	1

Methodists	R	H	P	A	E
McKean, 1	2	2	0	0	0
Balza, s	0	1	2	0	0
Binns, 1	0	2	6	0	0
P. Bege, p	0	1	0	5	0
Lowstutter, m-3	1	1	3	1	0
Riggs, 3-m	0	1	2	0	0
L. Bege, 2	0	0	0	0	0
Snyder, c	0	0	3	1	0
Kent, r	0	1	0	0	0
Reitz, r	0	0	0	0	0
Total	3	8	15	9	0

First Pres	R	H	P	A	E
Methodists	0	1	2	1	0

Two base hit—Osborne. Stolen bases, Oller, 2, Wilson, Allhouse, Smith, McKean, Lowstutter. Struck out—By Osborne 6, by Bege 3. Bases on balls—off Bege 4. Sacrifice hits—Wagner, Collins. Umpires—Mathias and Jenkins.

CHARLEROI CHURCH LEAGUE

Last Night's Results.

First Pres, 4 Methodists 3.

Standing of Clubs.

	W	L	P
First Pres	3	0	1000
Methodists	2	3	667
W. A. Pres	2	1	667
Christians	1	1	500
Baptists	1	1	500
Catholics	1	2	333
Episcopal	0	2	000
Lutherans	0	2	000

Games This Week.

Thursday—Lutherans vs. Baptists.

Friday—Episcopal vs. Christians.

In Magyar Land.

The Magyars, or Hungarians, are distinct from all the other peoples of Europe, the Finns alone excepted. Their ancestors many centuries ago swept down from the plateaus of the Ural mountains upon the rich prairies of Hungary, and, by the very force of their inherent character, as well as by their valor at arms overcame and assimilated the former barbaric inhabitants, and ever since, amid the vicissitudes of almost constant wars and even frequent defeats by many enemies, have maintained their individuality, and, for the most part, their undisputed supremacy, in southeastern Europe.

In race and language they are allied to the Turks on one side and to the Finns, another branch of the same family tree, on the other.

Yet, though related to the Turks they were the most consistent and successful enemies of Mohammedanism in all Europe.

In fact, Hungary for centuries was the buffer state between Christian

Europe and Mohammedan Asia, and a hard-fought war did her people wage, almost single-handed, to repel the tide of Islamism, which often threatened to submerge all Europe.

The Christian Herald.

Commercial Dishonesty.

The London chamber of commerce has gathered evidence showing that there is a growing disposition to misrepresent the nature, origin, quality and value of goods offered for sale, both at home and abroad.

Not a Flattering Opinion.

Bobbins—"Does young Dr. Squills know much about medicine?"

Bobbins—"Well, I should say that he doesn't know about medicine would fill a morgue."

Monongahela to Organize Band.

Under the leadership of Alex McVicker a band will be organized from

members of the different Sunday

schools of Monongahela to lead the

delegation from that town in the

parade at Charleroi on the evening of

June 21, when ex-Governor Frank

Hanley of Indiana will address the

County Sunday school convention,

which will be held here June 20 and

21.

DANCING FEATURE WITH BIG SHOW COMING JUNE 8

Church League Leaders Beat Methodists in Good Five Inning Struggle

The coming visit of the Cody-Lillie Alliance, and the fact that the older leader announces his personal farewell, entitles this natural exhibition to more than passing notice. It also gives rise to a consideration of the various accomplishments of man and horse that it has presented during its career.

One of these is the scope it now covers in the field of dancing. In the program of the "Two Bills Alliance," a great variety of the terpsichorean art brightens the performance. The very primitive Dahomey dance shows from whence was derived the peculiar and fascinating physical exuberance of the colored race today, in juba patting and the later developed cake-walk. The Cingalese gives the Oriental style, with its silver-sounding cymbals, while the Hindus, with their flaming, flashing torches, give a symbolic movement of worshipping their Fire God.

The Soudanese exhibit peculiar methods in the Dance of Death, illustrating the universal power of the Scythe Bearer, and belongs to the class of allegorical representations that prevailed among the religious orders of Europe during the Fourteenth Century.

The Arabs, in their athletic feats are always accomplished by the Sacred Whirling Dervish whose terrific efforts is a supposed shield against the Spirit of Accident. Elephantine movements of a graceful nature are an attendant adjunct to East Indian religious festivals and Max Gruber's Sextette, composed of elephant, man, woman, horse, pony and canine execute a specially adapted *ettion du monde* in the Globe encircling spectacle of the Far East.

The Prinkin Russian (Muscovite) dancers present a vivid and marvelous action, tour de force, combined with those graceful evolutions peculiar to the Russian peasant dancers. The American Indian's principal diversions at fêtes and festivals is his repertoire of dances, from the Lova Dance, the Wedding, the Corn, the Sun, with its torture (really a relic of the Dance of Death) and his stirring and barbaric War dances.

A stud of trained horses are also very susceptible to the quickly acquiring polka, a group of them arousing the interest of the spectator by ending a dancing carnival with the Hoochie-Koochie.

We must not forget the thrill and dash of the Cowboys and Ranch Girls in the Virginia Reel on horseback. The Western boys and girls on their riding to the stirring music of the cowboy Band.

This variegated program, exploiting the light fantastic, has a rapidity of action that does not tire, and as interludes to the more thrilling and stirring events that go to make up the wonderful program of the Wild West and Far East, a perennial fountain of pleasure.

The claim against Lumsden was \$244.28, against Hepler \$73.19 and against Bailey \$175.72. The amount were for paving and curbing a portion of

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POLICE DEPARTMENT REPORTS BUSY MONTH

Council Hears Burgess Risbeck's Statement of Arrests Made

SOME SERVE OUT TIME

Collections Good Nevertheless—Parade Request is Duly Acknowledged

One circus day and an otherwise comparatively active month gave the police department plenty to do during May. Burgess George W. Risbeck made his report for the arrests and fines assessed at the regular monthly meeting of council Tuesday evening. His report showed that 81 arrests were made. Fines were assessed to the total amount of \$109.05. Apparently many of the police station visitors were hard pushed for money for they had to serve out \$25 worth of their time. The actual cash collected amounted to \$73.05.

Besides Burgess Risbeck's report the report of the treasurer was read and several bills ordered paid. Treasurer T. R. Eage's report for the month ending May 16, is summarized as follows:

Balance from last report	\$2,095.62
Receipts	3,649.13
Total	\$5,744.75
Disbursements	4,155.25
Balance in treasury	\$1,589.50

A request was presented to council to participate as a body in the men's parade to take place on Friday evening, June 21 as a feature of the Washington County Sunday School Association, and to grant permission to the police to lead the procession. Council granted the latter request and expressed their thanks for the invitation to participate themselves.

Borough Engineer Alex Gray and the street committee were instructed to investigate the matter of opening up an alley from Eighth street to back of the Crest avenue school, and also to take up the matter of fixing the grade of Crest avenue near Twelfth street.

Upon request C. R. Newcomer was granted permission to prepare a crossing to his automobile garage at the corner of Fifth street and Crest avenue.

SHOWER GIVEN IN HONOR OF BRIDE

The Young Ladies Circle of the Washington Avenue Presbyterian church Tuesday evening gave a shower to Mrs. John Roberts, of North Charleroi, who was formerly Miss Reba Nutt. There were between 20 and 30 young women present and a pleasant evening was spent. Miss Nutt's marriage to Mr. Robert was occurred it is said, the first part of this year, but it is stated news of the wedding was kept secret until a few days ago.

Y. P. C. T. U. Meeting.

An important meeting of the Young People's Christian Temperance Union will be held Thursday. All members are especially requested to be present.

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Gets News of Drowning

Father of Mrs. Joseph Hurst of Charleroi Goes to Watery Grave in Fox River

News was received by Mrs. Joseph Hurst of Fallowfield avenue, Tuesday of the drowning of her father, B. E. Aten, at Dundee, Ill., a day or two ago. Full particulars of the drowning were not learned, but it is understood that Mr. Aten was standing on a foot bridge when he lost his balance and fell into the Fox river. Before help could reach him he was dead.

The funeral will be held at Wilkes-Barre, Mr. Aten's former home, the body having been shipped to that place Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Hurst left for Wilkes-Barre Tuesday night. Besides the widow, one daughter, Mrs. Hurst and one son, Alfred Aten of Milwaukee, survive.

MURDERER FORGIVES DAUGHTER

Jan Ribarik Responds to Prayer and Singing of Hymn

STOISM BROKEN DOWN

A fervent prayer for the salvation of his soul and the singing of "Near, My God to Thee," converted Jan Ribarik, the stolid, stubborn inmate of the Washington county jail who, if nothing intervenes, will go to the gallows next Tuesday to pay the penalty for the murder of three persons at Canonsburg, a few months ago.

The 20-year-old daughter, "the cause of it all," as Ribarik alleged at the time he was tried for his life, created the most unusual and spectacular scene ever witnessed in the Washington county jail Tuesday afternoon when she called at the prison and requested an audience with the condemned man. The man and his daughter are now reconciled and when Ribarik goes to his death next Tuesday he will not hold any enmity against the girl.

Ribarik, who was convicted of killing Mr. and Mrs. Mike Novak and their boarder, Stephen Stanjov, at their home, when he blamed them for harboring his daughter, had forbidden a visit from the pretty girl, and declared that he would "kill her" should she visit him in the cell.

The girl, prompted by a desire to see her father before he went upon the gallows, took courage yesterday afternoon and went alone to the jail where her father is spending his last days on earth.

The guards would not allow the

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WATER COMPANY DEAL CAUSES A BIG STIR

Announcement of Change of Supply System Including Monessen and Donora Occasions Some Surprise

The announcement made unofficially Tuesday that the Charleroi Water company has secured control of the Monessen Water company's rights in Monessen borough and was preparing to lay lines across the river to supply Monessen from the Charleroi plant, caused considerable of a stir. It was claimed that the plan was to give Monessen the benefits of an up-to-date filtration plant like Charleroi and incidentally through the same means to supply Donora.

It seems from later information believed to be authentic that the Pittsburg Steel company has purchased certain of the holdings of the Monessen Water company, and that in furnishing water to the borough the water company would have more less difficulty. It is claimed by Monessen people that they have been en-

joying the privileges of filtered water that has been better than that furnished Charleroi. Monessen secured filtered water, they assert, through a pipe laid between Monessen and Donora.

With the Pittsburg Steel company, it was claimed that the plan was to of the Monessen Water company, it is said, it was necessary for a different arrangement for the supply of water to be made.

The idea of pumping water across the Monongahela river will be a new one for this part of the Monongahela valley. When it is put in effect, it will mean that Donora, between 4 and 5 miles away and Monessen a mile away, will be furnished with water flowing from the Charleroi reservoir at the crest of Fifth street.

BELIEVE GOVERNMENT WILL LOSE NO TIME

Expected by Those in Close Touch With Situation That Public Building Will be Gotten Under Way This Summer

Not many weeks will elapse according to the belief of certain of those in the closest touch with the situation, before actual work will be started on the Charleroi Federal building. Bearing out their statements, this week there was named an appropriation of \$10,000 in the dry civil bill as reported to the House of Representatives for Charleroi. This sundry civil bill is in reality a budget of estimated expense for the next fiscal year, so that it indicates by that time the money will be on hand to pay for the final work on the building.

Bids were to be opened at the Treasury Department at Washington, D. C., on May 31. It is supposed they were opened according to schedule. Even so, it will probably be at least thirty days from that time before the public will know anything about it. However, providing there is not a rush of work for the treasury department—architects—the contract may be awarded at once and work started soon after.

Some time ago an appropriation of \$20,000 was made for the Charleroi Public building. There had been previous appropriations made. From that fact it would seem that the money would be available any time the treasury department should get ready to start work.

DISTRICT CABINET DISCUSSES PARADE

Sunday School Workers Work Hard Preparing For County Convention

Parade, program, decoration, and various other matters of preparation for the Washington County Sunday school convention to be held in Charleroi June 26 and 27 were discussed by the Charleroi district executive cabinet at its weekly meeting held at the Christ Lutheran church on Tuesday evening. Capt. John K. Hein, chief marshal for the parade stated that he had asked that the police head the procession, and that council participate in the parade. Upon motion it was decided that the school board be asked to participate and be given a place of honor in the parade.

President W. S. James of the cabinet reported that he had made arrangements for an electrical sign to be put up bearing the words "Welcome" and also for an electrical sign with a white center and red background, designating the Adult Bible Class button. In addition, the big convention tent will be lighted by electricity. George Leith, superintendent of the West Penn Electric company has promised to look after the electrical display as a part of his and his company's donation.

The program for the convention has practically been completed by the county committee which is looking after that matter. A good array of speakers has been listed.

END PAGE

Eleven roomed frame house on property of Charleroi School District, Crest avenue and Sixth street. To be removed by purchaser. Bids to be in hands of secretary not later than June 11. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

J. M. Hill, Secretary

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MAGIC CITY TO PUT ITS OWN SCHEMES INTO USE

Charter is Applied For

Curb Market to be Properly Instituted Third Week in June

Charleroi Co-Operative Association Asks For County Incorporation

IDEA IS MUCH COPIED
Various Towns and Cities Pattern After Charleroi's Civic Proposal

A petition for the incorporation of what is to be known as the "Charleroi Co-Operative Association of Charleroi, Pa." has been filed at Washington. The purpose of the corporation is to hold property, real and personal, and for an unincorporated organization, a social society, and executing trusts. The organization is composed of one citizen in touch with the curb market matter this morning. Charleroi was the first town in Western Pennsylvania, it is asserted, to take up in earnest the scheme of adopting a market at the curb, from which point of vantage producers could retail their wares. Realizing that Charleroi at different periods in its history had furnished a Congressman and a Governor, to say nothing of its present duty of making off lighthouse lights and windows for a good proportion of store windows in the United States, a hovel to turn Panama dirt-iron work and heavens knowns what all—other towns and cities were not long in catching the disease. They wanted curb markets too.

Among the first to take up the scheme in all its details was Donegal. This town got a Board of Trade and then started out for a curb market. The result is they tried to carry away the Charleroi scheme intact and tire. Beaver Falls also tried to do the same, and Washington copied. It is said such municipalities as Monongahela and others too numerous to mention are cutting their pat-

Meanwhile Charleroi has been getting ready to start its curb market and to start it right. The date of May 25 was set some weeks ago as the day for trying out the curb market, but there wasn't much produce to sell then, so there was a postponement of about three weeks. Tuesday June 18, will be the time for the first sale, and Sixth street will be the place. Between Washington avenue and the railroad wagons will be lined up—providing the growers who have promised to come and who are taking an interest in the proceedings do not fail. According to present arrangements there will be all kinds of produce on sale. Children who have been making the rounds of the various houses trying to sell lettuce and other produce will be encouraged to use Sixth street as their sale place. It is expected from the enthusiasm which has been aroused that by July first there will be an immensely successful curb market in operation here.

ANOTHER CASE NOW ON

Charleroi Agent Loses Suit Against Prudential

Upon binding instructions from the court the jury in court at Washington Tuesday afternoon found for the defendant in the suit of Edward Strausser, of Charleroi, a former agent for the Prudential Insurance company, against the Prudential Insurance company. The defendant claimed about \$8,000 for commissions alleged due for insurance written as agent for the defendant company. The defense set forth that the plaintiff's claim as to the per cent of commissions he was to receive was exorbitant and illegal. The suit hinged on the interpretation of a clause of the agent's contract, which the court construed did not give him the per cent for insurance written that he, the plaintiff, claimed.

On trial at Washington, is the suit of Edward Strausser against S. E. Long the local superintendent of the claim for damages for false arrest. It is another litigation growing out of the differences between Strausser and the insurance company. Alleging that Strausser had appropriated about \$127 belonging to the insurance company he was arrested, charged with embezzlement, held for court indicted, but the jury acquitted him and put the costs on the private prosecutor, Mr. Long. In retaliation for this action against him Mr. Strausser brought a civil action against Mr. Long for damages.

Good Game at Monessen Saturday

The Page A. A. baseball team has secured the Sterling A. C. of Pittsburgh for a game Saturday afternoon.

WINTER CLUB HOLDS ENJOYABLE DANCE

One of the most pleasant dances thus far in the summer social season was given Tuesday night at Eldorado park by the Winter Club of Charleroi. There were about 50 couples present, and dancing was from 8:30 until 12. People were present from different towns along the valley. The Winter Club has arranged to hold a dance next Thursday instead of next Tuesday as previously arranged.

June Weddings

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LOCAL AGENCIES

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T. Hixenbaugh.....Speers

chant and the grocer who sells it.

There are some of the increased
items of expense which have made
the cost of living a serious problem.
What we do not do ourselves we have
to pay for. So long as we have to
buy everything we consume we must
pay the price, and this price is con-
stantly increasing as the extra-
gance of the people and craze for lux-
uries increase.

OHIO IN LINE.

Over in the neighboring state of
Ohio a constitutional convention has
just been completed. A new constitu-
tion for the state has been framed
up, which must be approved by the
voters before it becomes the funda-
mental law of that commonwealth. A
number of radical changes have
been made, but perhaps the most significant
of all is a provision for a bond
issue of \$50,000,000 for a system of
improved roads throughout the state.

There is no doubt but what Ohio
will put Ohio in line with Pennsylvania, where
Governor Tener's policy of State
road improvements involves an ex-
penditure of \$50,000,000, the funds
for which are to be supplied by a
proposed bond issue. To effect this
requires a constitutional amendment,
but Ohio is taking time by the fore-
lock and incorporating the right to
provide the funds for state wide road
improvements in the fundamental
law. This is a wise provision, and
will put Ohio in line with Pennsylvania in
the matter of good roads. Governor Tener's project of state
wide road improvements has attracted
attention in all the states of the
union, and the fact that Ohio has
copied his plan demonstrates its pop-
ularity and practicability.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

It sometimes happens that trea-
surers are easier made than kept.

Charleroi is great on furnishing
good ideas. Nearly all the towns
hereabouts seem to be getting their
curo market in operation.

In New York a serious waiters
strike is threatened. Such a strike
might serve as an advertising scheme
for the back to the land movement.

If that proposed water supply
scheme is put into effect, Monessen
will in reality have to take it from
us.

It is just like some automobilists
to complain about the excessive use
of rubbers by the common people on
the strength of the argument that
it forces up the price of tires.

As an indication that Roosevelt
and his big stick force are expected
to participate vigorously in the Chi-
cago proceedings, it is stated that
twenty physicians, surgeons and
nurses have been engaged "just to
be ready for emergencies."

The varieties of Republicans for
number rivals that of the Heinz 57.

A Chicago man has had his name
changed because people made fun of it.
Which isn't the usual reason
given by most women when they have
their names changed.

We could stand flies if they didn't
insist upon using our food for door-
mats.

Editing a newspaper is considered
a profession. It may be, but most
of those who have had experience
would be willing to take an oath—
or three if necessary—that it's a job.

Political Races

How often when the racing news
We in the papers scan,
We see the line that we can't lose,
"La Follette also ran."

Johnstown Leader

PICKED UP IN PASSING
The following clipping from the
Philadelphia Press has been handed
the Mail for publication, as an argu-
ment why the tax on chocolate
and substitutes for butter should be
removed:

"To the Editor of the Press—can
any reader of the Press give a good
reason why the grocer already pay-
ing a city and county license must
trouble of the man who raised it, and pay an additional yearly license of
the profits of the commission mer- \$106 for the privilege of selling but-
terine? It can't be that the State
needs the money. It must be for the
sole purpose of lining the pockets of the
special interest—the butter mon-
opoly."

"Several evenings ago I met a man
with his dinner pail on his way home
from work. I said to him, 'Why, John, you are late this evening, you
must have worked overtime.' The
man replied,

"No, I didn't work overtime; I
went down to Brown's to get a pound
of butterine. It's over a mile down
there. Quite a tiresome walk after a
hard day's work, that's the reason I
am late. You see my grocer don't
sell butterine because he can't afford
to pay the \$106 license, so Brown's is
the only place I can get butterine. I
have a sick wife and four children to
keep and I get only \$1.10 a day, five
days a week. I can't possibly buy
butter at 40 cents and be honest. So
down to Brown's and buy butterine,
which I can buy for 25 cents and
save 15 cents, which buys me a soup-
bone, but the butcher said he must
charge 20 cents now for soup-bones,
because meat had advanced."

"We can eat meat only once and
not spread our bread every meal.
It's awful hard to be honest these
days."

"Never having seen butterine, I felt
curious to know what it was like, so
I asked my friend if he objected to
me seeing it. He invited me not only
to look at it but to taste it. Going
into a nearby store he removed the
cover and handed me the pail in
which was the object I wished to
see. I found an oblong block weighing
16 1-2 ounces, neatly wrapped in
white parchment paper resembling a
print of pale creamery butter, with
a pleasant, appetizing aroma and in
taste far better than butter I have
frequently eaten."

"In his pail was also a slice of hard
dry bread left over from dinner—and
why dry? Because the poor fellow
could not afford to pay the price asked
for butter and be honest and
through the machination of special
privileges prohibitive license on the
sale of butterine. Think of it, a tax
of \$106—\$100 for license and \$6 for
red tape for permission to sell a
necessary commodity to those who
can't afford to pay extortion prices
for butter and be honest."

Justice, Philadelphia, May 31, 1912.

"Trying to make sport at the ex-
pense of a small boy is a rather
risky operation," said a traveling
man who was a Charleroi visitor re-
cently. "Early in my career I learned
my lesson, and it was a wholesome
one for me. I happened to be in
Harrisburg once when a State political
convention was in progress. There I met many old-time friends,
who had assembled for the convention.
Standing in front of one of the
prominent hotels talking to a group
of friends, we were annoyed by a
small newsboy, who persistently tried
to sell us papers. On our refusal to
buy the boy would walk away, and
then return after a few moments and
again try to persuade us to buy.
Finally after the newsie had singled
me out with his query of 'Popper?' I
said:

"No! I have no use for a paper;
I can't read."

"Sizing me up critically, the newsie
replied:

"I believe ye. You kind o' look
like a dain fool anyhow."

Real Blue Blood.

An Irish contractor had the misfor-
tune to run his car over an old man
who had a bottle of bluing inside his
coat. Jumping from his car and seeing
the fluid rapidly staining the old
man's breast, he cried to his friend:
"Finnegan, it'll go harra wid us!
We've killed wan o' them blue-blooded
Yankees!"—Judge.

Rash Answer.
A student at a medical college was
under examination. The instructor
asked him: "Of what cause, specifically,
did the people die who lost their
lives at the destruction of Herculaneum
and Pompeii?" "I think they
died of an eruption, sir," answered
the student.

Greatness No Escape.
In classical history we find that
even Socrates, that most dignified
sage, did not escape, for he was nick-
named "Flat Nose," while Plato, more
fortunate, received a flattering nick-
name, for he is called the "Attic Bee."
a graceful tribute to his literary style.

Hence the Tears.
A German lass stood at a steam-
ship pier, weeping. "Why do you
grieve, Fraulein?" "Because my lover
has sailed, and I fear that before he
returns someone else may propose to
me and I may accept!" "C'mon."

Deceitful Man.
Dolly—"She married a very old man,
didn't she? I understand he had one
foot in the grave." Polly—"That's
what she thought, too; but he still
continues to buy his shoes by the
pair."—Puck.

SEEMED A FOOLISH QUESTION

Refused Bridaloom Rejected. Inquiry
That at the Moment Seemed
to Him Ill-Timed.

One of the most widely known
bers of the Red Ink set got married
some time ago, says the New York
correspondent of the Cincinnati Times-
Star. It was no new experience for
him. In fact, he'd taken the hurdle
two or three times before—each time
falling at the water jump. To be explicit
about it, he's a perfectly fine
little poet, as long as he is clutched
to the cart. But when he begins to
gallop, he becomes matrimonially and socially im-
possible. On the occasion of this latest
marriage, he had been sober for
quite a long while a phenomenon due
in part to the fact that he had been
stone broke for an even longer while.
And he had bound himself never, never
to listen to a bubble.

"I think he meant it, too," said one
of his friends. "anyhow, he's been
sober ever since, which is an event
that ranks with Failey's comet in
frequency. But the day of the mar-
riage he needed a little bracer. Know-
ing his failing, his friends would not
give him any money. Neither would
they give him any credit, save as sim-
ply laced with it. Our poor poet went
around with his tongue cracking
and warping in his mouth—drier than
the covered bridge of holy writ. Sud-
denly it was discovered that the mar-
riage license had not been procured.
"I'll get it," volunteered the poor poet.
Give me \$5."

"He knew that the license cost but
one. But no one else knew it. He got
the license, and then he filled himself
as full of budge as possible with \$4
and an hour and a half. When he walked
up the church aisle he was bubbling—but
long training kept him from be-
traying his condition. His bride-to-be
got a sniff of what had happened to
her \$4, but it was too late to mend them.
Our poor poet got along all
right until the minister asked him very
solemnly: 'Do you take this woman
to be your wedded wife?'

"Whereupon he looked at the preacher
in amazement. 'Quit your joking,
old top,' said he, in a loud, round tone.
'That's what I'm here for. I'm the original
taking kid."

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BEING BRISK A GOOD HABIT

Children Should Be Taught Quickness in Running Errands and in Dressing Themselves.

If a child is allowed to acquire a slow, dawdling manner when told to do any particular duty it will be found very difficult to effect a cure, and this means a serious hindrance to success in after years.

Teach them while very young to do everything promptly and to finish what they have commenced. If they are sent on a message make them to clearly understand that they must go direct to the shop and not loiter on the way. Children may be seen at any time carrying a message and lingering to look at everything on the way.

I often wonder at what time the poor mother gets her messages home, when I see a child loitering about instead of walking along briskly. Quickness in dress, also, should be insisted upon. If too young to dress themselves they should be taught to keep still while the mother or sister puts on their clothing.

At a later age forbid any running about the house until fully dressed and quickly dressed. Some little maidens are rather fond of looking in the glass while dressing and this is a habit which should be at once repressed. It not only encourages vanity but it causes the child to waste much valuable time.

Catching the Speaker's Eye.
The practice of "catching the Speaker's eye" dates back to the session of 1640, when a heated dispute arose between members of the house, several of whom claimed precedence of speech. It was then decided that whoever first caught the Speaker's eye should have the right to address the house. This rule worked smoothly until 1655, when Sir John Trevor was elected to the chair. The new Speaker was afflicted with an abominable squint, consequently two members would often catch his eye simultaneously and decline to give way to one another. To obviate this a further rule was framed to the effect that the Speaker should call by name upon the member privileged to address the house. So every holder of the office has to possess a good memory for names as well as keen eyesight.—London Chronicle.

Origin of Familiar Terms.

Much history is written in the ordinary words of the language. "Tabby," for example. This very domestic-appearing word for the Arabian designation of a quarter of Bagdad famous for its manufacture of divers colored silks and cottons—a quarter named after "Attab, the great-grandson of Omeyya. "Tabby" appears in English literature in the first half of the seventeenth century as the general term for striped taffeta silks. In the same century "tabby" is applied to a striped or brindled cat. In the eighteenth century, to an "elderly maiden lady." The sense development of this word is in striking contrast with that of another old Arab, "taraff," which came in the sixteenth century, meaning a "multiplication tribe," and has remained essentially unchanged to the present day.

Ingenious Spider Web.

Spiders have a number of ingenious ways of alluring and catching their prey. A writer describes an American spider which haunts evergreen trees, and snare its dinner by means of a kind of lasso. The web of the spider is triangular in form. Two corners of the triangle are attached to twigs, but the other corner, which ends in a single thread, is held by the spider, perched on a neighboring twig. When a fly strikes the web the spider loosens his hold and the elastic threads instantly entangle the victim.

Knew His Business.

"What you want to do is to have that mudhole in the road fixed," said the visitor. "That goes to show," replied Farmer Corntassel, "how little you reformers understand local conditions. I've purty high paid off a mortgage with the money I made haulin' automobiles out o' that mud-hole."—Christian Register.

Only System of Education.

No system of education is worthy of the name of a national system unless it establishes a great educational ladder, the bottom of which is in the gutter and the top in the university, on which every child who has the strength to climb may, by using the strength, reach the place for which he is intended him.—Huxley.

Heaven Here.

When I was away for my holiday, I went once to the side of a little highland loch on a calm day, when all the winds were still, and every birch tree stood unmoved, and every twig reflected on the steadfast mirror, into the depths of which heaven's own blue seemed to have found its way. That is what our hearts may be, if we let Christ put his guarding hand round them to keep the storms off, and have him within us for our rest. But the man who does not trust Jesus is like the troubled sea which cannot rest, but goes moaning around half the world, homeless and hungry, rolling and heaving, monotonous and yet changeable, salt and barren, the true emblem of every soul that has not listened to the merciful call: "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest."—Doctor MacLaren.

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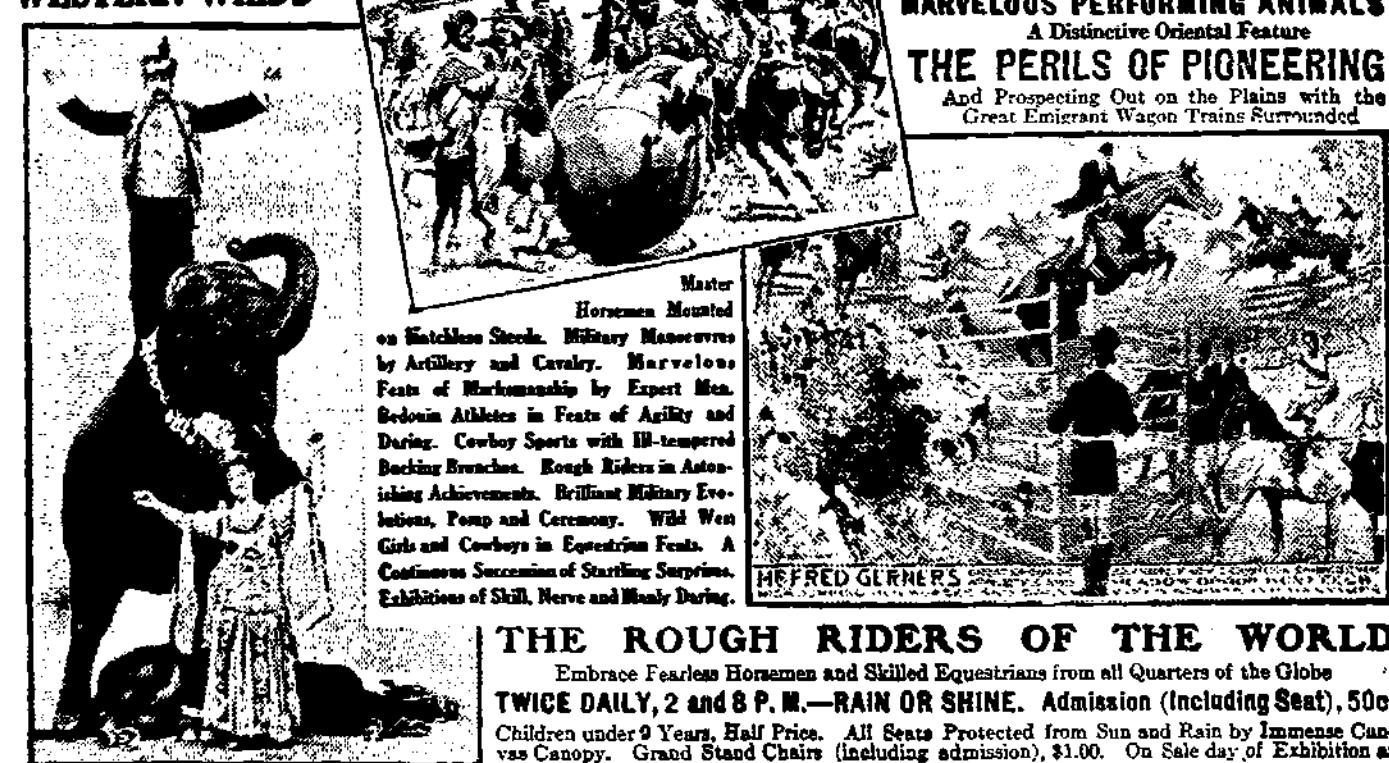
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Which all can see, which all may share,
Sunlight and dewdrops, grass and stars
and sea.
Nothing unique, or new, and nothing rare.
Just daisies, knayweed, wind among the thorns;
Some clouds to cross the blue old sky above;
Rain, winter fires, a useful hand, a heart.
The common glory of a woman's love.
Then when my feet no longer tread old paths
(Keep them from fouling sweet things anywhere).
Write one old epitaph in grace its words.
"Such things look fairer that he sojourned here."

Shifting Ministers.

One of Wesley's reasons for shifting

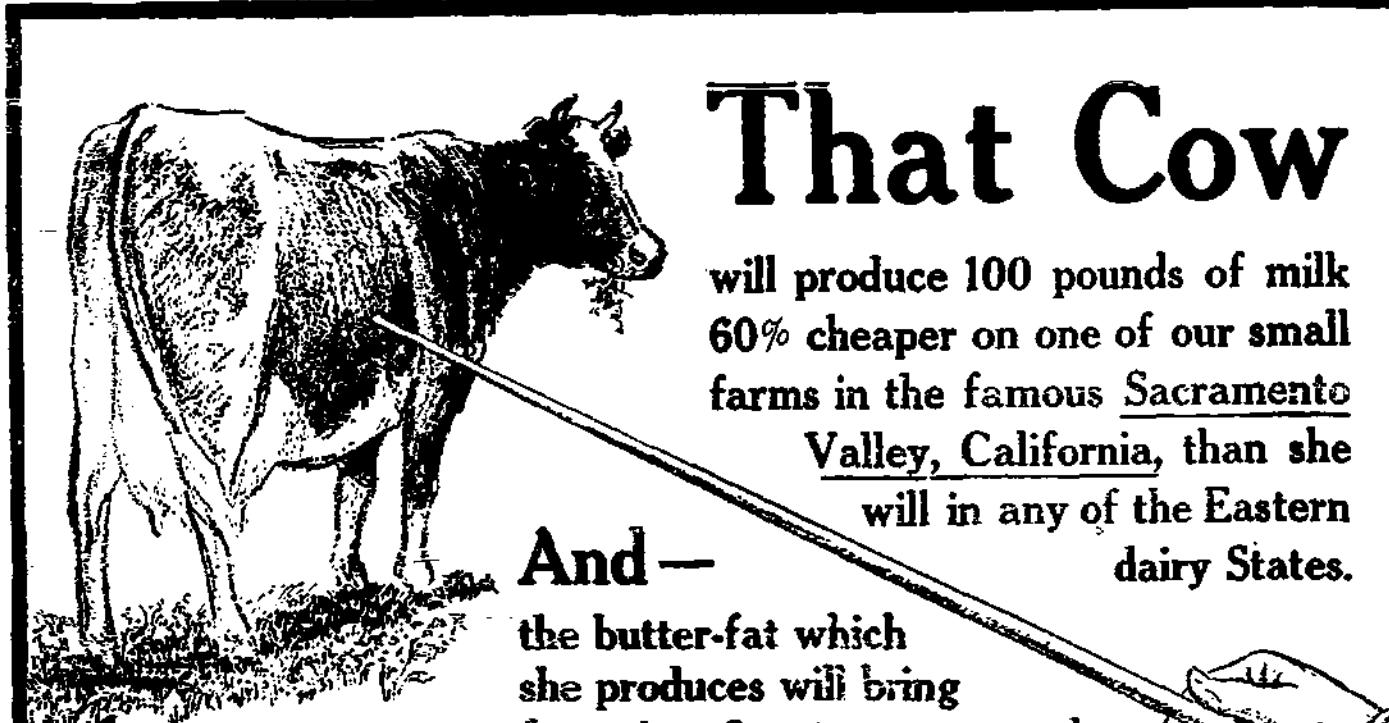
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thors except those of a previous gen-
eration."

"Well," replied Mr. Cumrox, "I am
kind o' prejudiced in their favor. You
see, there's no chance that mother an'
the girls will invite 'em to parties to
set up their supercilious and superior."

Just as facts are skeletons of truths,
so words are single bones and the dic-
tionary is a vast ossuary.

Art is an outcome of the play im-
pulse, as Schiller said, the exuberance
of energies not exhausted in the strug-
gle for existence.



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BERRYMAN'S

LOCAL MENTION

J. M. Whittlebach and D. C. Whittlebach left today for Parkersburg, W. Va. to attend the funeral of the former's sister, Mrs. W. F. McGee.

Mrs. J. L. Reeves and Mrs. R. D. Blaker went to Carmichaels today to visit the former's daughter Mrs. William Vance and to attend the funeral of Thomas Wiley who died Monday.

Misses Bernice and Ruth Hawkins and Harry Hawkins went to Edinburgton this morning to visit at the home of relatives.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Steele, a daughter.

Mrs. G. W. Night and Miss Aurenche are spending the day in Pittsburgh.

Lee Showers went to Ford City today on a business trip.

Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Bastian, and

children left this morning for Williamsport to attend the wedding of Mr. Bastian's niece which is to occur Tuesday.

Largest Dials.

The art of the clock maker has achieved many remarkable triumphs

for the complexity of its movements

and its busy population of automata

that attracts our admiration like that

of Thomas Wile who died Monday.

Miss Eva Williams is spending a

few days this week at the home of

her brother, Leslie Williams near

Bentleyville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ells Sphar entertain

a large crowd of young folks at

a party at their home on Wednesday

evening of last week and all report

having a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Murphy and

baby Martha Jane of Pike Run spent

Sunday at the home of the latter's

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harrison

and also at the home of her sister,

Mrs. Samuel Hopewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pitzer near

Garwood spent Sunday at the home

of their son, Curt Pitzer.

Luther Pitzer, near Garwood, was

a guest of Clay Williams Sunday.

Misses Mary Sphar and Bonnie

Lewis were guests at the home of

Frank Hopewell Sunday.

Mrs. William Sphar near Charleroi

is ill.

Mrs. Harriett Tombaugh and son

Alonzo, who went to Kansas to make

their home with another son have

returned to this place. Mrs. Tom-

bah arrived home ill and is staying

at the home of I. E. Morris. Being

an aged lady her condition is serious.

Larry Gassit and family of Fred-

ericktown, spent a few days last

week at the home of Mrs. Gassit's

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hope-

well.

Mrs. Zilpha Fisk of Ohio, is visit-

ing relatives in this vicinity.

Miss Mary Gardner of Ringersburg

was a recent guest of friends near

here.

Mr. and Mrs. I. N. Morris near Gar-

wood were Sunday visitors at the

home of I. E. Morris.

Miss Myrtle McCracken is spend-

ing a few days with her sister, Mrs.

Playford Wright of Pike Run

The Grangers will hold a festival

on the flat near Pitzer's store on June

14 and 15.

Curt McCracken was so unfortu-

nate as to have his horse stolen Sat-

urday night. The horse was taken

to A. C. Sphar's livery barn of Char-

leroi where Mr. McCracken found it

Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Deaterly

of Charleroi were guests at the home

of the latter's brother, Van Robison

Sunday.

Miss Stella Robison and brother

Roy were business callers in Wash-

ington last week.

Oscar Carson of Charleroi spent

Sunday at the home of his father,

John A. Carson.

Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobs and fam-

ily near Curtin school house, were

guests at the home of Charles Coul-

ter Sunday.

An Eye to Economy.

"Now, remember that you

goot glass eye you got. Always

take it out and put it in your pocket

when you ain't looking at noddings."

Error in Conditions Somewhere.

There is something wrong if a man

is expected to meditate on eternity

when he has no assurance of being

able to meet his butcher's bill.

PRESBYTERIANS MAINTAIN THEIR WINNING STREAK

Church League Leaders Beat Methodists in Good Five Inning Struggle

The First Presbyterians continued their winning streak Tuesday night by defeating the Methodists. Five innings told the tale, by this time the Firsts having scored four runs to three of the Methodists. The Firsts got theirs in the second, third and fourth, the first being tallied by a base on balls and two singles. Two in the ninth were recorded through the instrumentality of three hits, a sacrifice and a stolen base. A base on balls, a fielder's choice and a single meant the last score in the fourth.

the second with two singles and a stolen base. In the third they secured three hits and tallied once. The last score came in the fifth on two singles and a fielder's choice. Score

First Pres	R	H	P	A	E
Wagner, I.	0	1	3	0	0
...	1	1	6	0	0
Jenkins, s	0	1	1	0	0
Wilson, r	0	0	1	0	0
Collins, r	0	2	0	0	0
Strandt, m	0	1	0	1	0
Allshouse, I	0	2	0	0	0
Smith, 2	1	0	2	1	0
Osborne, p	1	1	0	1	1
Total	4	7	15	3	1

Methodists

R	H	P	A	E	
McKean, I	2	0	0	0	
Balza, s	0	0	1	2	0
Bunn, I	0	2	6	0	0
P. Bege, p	0	1	0	5	0
Lowstutter, m	1	1	3	1	0
Rigge, 3-m	0	1	2	0	0
L. Bege, 2	0	0	0	0	0
Snyder, c	0	0	3	1	0
Kent, r	0	1	0	0	0
Reitz, r	0	0	0	0	0
Total	3	8	15	9	0

First Pres

Methodists

Two base hit—Osborne. Stolen bases, Oller, 2, Wilson, Allshouse, Smith, McKean, Lowstutter. Struck out—By Osborne 6, by Bege 3. Bases on balls—of Bege 4. Sacrifice hits—Wagner, Collins. Umpires—Mathews and Jenkins.

CHARLEROI CHURCH LEAGUE

Last Night's Results.

First Pres, 4 Methodists 3.

Standing of Clubs.

W	L	P	
First Pres	3	0	1000
Methodists	2	3	667
W. A. Pres	2	1	667
Christians	1	1	500
Baptists	1	1	500
Catholics	1	2	333
Episcopal	0	2	000
Lutherans	0	2	000

Games This Week.

Thursday—Lutherans vs. Baptists.

Friday—Episcopal vs. Christians.

In Magyar Land.

The Magyars, or Hungarians, are

distinct from all the other peoples of

Europe, the Finns alone excepted.

Their ancestors, many centuries ago,

swept down from the plateaus of the

Ural mountains upon the rich prairies

of Hungary, and, by the very force of

their inherent character, as well as by

their valor at arms, overcame or as-

sorilated the former barbaric inhabi-

ts, and ever since amid the vicissi-

tudes of almost constant wars and

even frequent defeats by many ene-

mies have maintained their individuality,

and for the most part, their un-

disputed supremacy, in southeastern

Europe.

In race and language they are allied

to the Turks on one side and to the

Finns, another branch of the same

family tree on the other. Yet, though

related to the Turks they were the

most consistent and successful en-

emies of Mohammedanism in all Eu-

rope. In fact Hungary for centuries

was the buffer state between Christian

Europe and Mohammedan Asia and